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For: RECEPTION SYSTEM AND DIGITAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 10 sheets of drawings.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.2
- ☒ Claim to Right of Priority w/certified copy of Japanese application no. 11-261075.
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment.

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SMALL ENTITY

Rate	Fee
	\$345
x \$9	\$
x \$39	\$
+ \$130	\$
TOTAL	\$

OTHER THAN A  
SMALL ENTITY

Rate	Fee
	\$ 690
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